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DATE : June 12, 1989
TO : All Supervisory Primary Examiners
FROM : Office of the Deputy Assistant
Commissioner for Patents
SUBJECT: Petitions under 37 CFR 1.324

On June 2, 1989, the Commissioner delegated to the Supervisory Primary Examiners the authority to decide petitions under 37 CFR 1.324 to correct inventorship in a patent not involved in an interference.

Each petition under 37 CFR 1.324 should be decided by the Supervisory Primary Examiner in charge of the art where the patent is now classified as an original.

PALM petition code 517 should be used for entering transactions concerning these petitions and decisions thereon until a new PALM code is established for Supervisory Primary Examiners as deciding officials.

A sample grant of a petition and the required certificate are attached. Upon granting a petition under 37 CFR 1.324, the patented file and certificate are sent to Certificates of Corrections Branch for processing. Later, an Official Certificate with seal will be sent to the Supervisory Primary Examiner for signature.

My staff and I will be available for assistance at 557-4282. A training session will be scheduled in the near future.

Jeffrey V. Nase
Supervisory Petitions Examiner

Attachments



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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition, filed _____,
to correct inventorship under 37 CFR 1.324.

The petition is granted.

The patented file is being forwarded to Certificates of
Corrections Branch for issuance of a certificate naming only
the actual inventor or inventors.

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CERTIFICATE

Patent No. _____

Patented: _____

On petition requesting issuance of a certificate for correction of inventorship pursuant to 35 USC 256, it has been found that the above-identified patent, through error and without any deceptive intent, improperly sets forth the inventorship. Accordingly, it is hereby certified that the correct inventorship of this patent is:

{LIST ALL ACTUAL INVENTORS}

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